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REQUEST FOR STATUS OF APPLICATION

Dear Sirs:

On September 26, 2006, Applicant entered the U.S. National Stage filing of international application no. PCT/BE2005/000042.

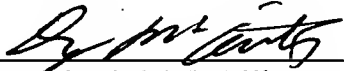
Applicant submitted to the U.S. Elected Office a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. The following items were submitted:

- Check in the amount of \$550.00 (Basic National Fee; Examination Fee; Search Fee and fee for extra claims)
- Return receipt postcard
- Form PTO-1390
- Application Data Sheet
- Preliminary Amendment
- Copy of executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Copy of International Application as published together with International Search Report
- Copy of International Preliminary Report on Patentability and Annexes
- Information Disclosure Statement and Form 1449

To date, Applicant has not received a Filing Receipt or a Notice of Acceptance from the Elected Office.

Applicant respectfully requests the U.S. Elected Office to advise Applicant's undersigned attorney as to the status of the above-referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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